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### **ANC Welcomes Korean Air Lines (Cargo) 747-8**

(ANCHORAGE, AK) -- February 15, 2012 marked the first landing at Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport of a Boeing 747-8F belonging to Korean Air Lines (Cargo). Korean Air Lines (Cargo) began operating out of Anchorage International Airport in 1971 with two freighter flights per week. Currently, Korean Air Lines (Cargo) lands between 8 and 14 flights a day at Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport.

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